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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of

Dennis Paul Lorah, et al.

Serial No. 09/887,929

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Examiner: K.C. Egwim

For: REDOX PROCESS FOR PREPARING EMULSION POLYMER

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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Honorable Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action in the above-identified application mailed on August 6, 2003. Applicants respectfully request the examiner to reconsider his rejection of claims 1-8 in view of the remarks herein, and to pass claims 1-8 to allowance at this time.